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Situation Report

Hurricane Recovery Support

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Hurricane Support

State and volunteer agencies in Missouri continue to provide support for persons displaced by the hurricanes that struck the Gulf coast.

American Red Cross in Missouri says it has assisted more than 13,500 people in more than 5,500 families from the affected areas. ARC report is as follows:

Ob anton	Familian/Familian
Chapter	Families/Evacuees
Adair County	7/20
Audrain-Montgomery	15/43
Boone	190/447
Crawford	21/48
Callaway	15/33
Capital Area	114/345
Greater Ozark	1086/2578
Greater Kansas City	1225/3141
Lafayette	12/24
Marion	11/33
Midland Empire	64/160
Pettis	4/6
Phelps-Pulaski	133/305
Southeast MO	368/1007
Southwest MO	113/301
St. Louis	2163/5102
Vernon	2/6
Total	5,561 Families/
	13,599 Assisted

<u>State Emergency Management Agency</u> (SEMA) reported the Red Cross shelter at Schweitzer United Methodist Church closed yesterday. A volunteer agency service at the Remington Center will be open on Friday and Saturday from 9:00am-4:30pm. The center will be closed on Sunday, but will re-open next week if necessary. SEMA Southeast

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coordinator reported that the Southern Baptist Church Camp near Benton in Scott County has 65 residents last night (24 children and 41 adults). The SBC Camp is expecting 20-30 more persons in a few days and have postponed closing their shelter operation. Southeast coordinator also reports the 19 people are still being housed at the Arkansas-Missouri Christian Camp in Ripley County.

<u>Federal Emergency Management Agency</u> (FEMA) says it has registered 5,381 hurricane victims now living in Missouri for its various disaster relief programs.

The Missouri Donation Hotline (800-841-8891) continues to take calls from anyone wishing to volunteer or donate to victims of both Hurricane Rita and Hurricane Katrina. AmeriCorps volunteers are staffing the hotline from 8am-7pm, seven days a week.

EMAC Support:

Missouri support under the Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) for the two storms includes the following:

A SEMA employee is in Baton Rouge, LA to assist in the state's emergency operations center.

Members from several fire departments in Region C (St Louis area) continue their work in Gulfport, MS with 26 personnel and 12 water tankers. They are assisting the local fire department with firefighting activities. Personnel from Region C are being rotated down to the disaster area to replace the members of the original contingent.

SEMA will send four personnel at various times during October to provide assistance to the State of Mississippi with floodplain management activities.

Severe Storms/Tropical Depressions

There are currently no watches, warnings or advisories for the State of Missouri.

National Weather Service is watching four tropical depressions tracking from the Coast of Africa through the Atlantic. The first one is directly south of the eastern tip of Cuba heading for the Gulf of Mexico. Indications are that it would not take much for this to develop into a tropical storm. Three others are proceeding through the Atlantic on course for the Windward Islands (St. Kitts & Nevis, Barbados, Trinidad and Tobago and Martinique.). These have the potential to turn into tropical storms and/or hurricanes.

SEMA has received no requests for state assistance within the last 24 hours.

Points of Contact:

SEMA can be reached during normal business hours (7:30am-4:30pm) at 573-526-9100. After hours calls can be made to the duty officer hotline at 573-751-2748.

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